NATIONAL RECOVERY ADMINISTRATION

AMENDMENT TO CODE OF FAIR COMPETITION

FOR THE

LUMBER AND TIMBER PRODUCTS INDUSTRY

AS APPROVED ON SEPTEMBER 14, 1934





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ORDER

Approving Amendment to the Code of Fair Competition for the Lumber and Timber Products Industry

An application having been duly made pursuant to and in full compliance with the provisions of Title I, of the National Industrial Recovery Act, approved June 16, 1933, for approval of an amendment to the Code of Fair Competition for the Lumber and Timber Products Industry, and hearings having been duly held thereon and the annexed report on said amendment, containing findings with respect thereto, having been made and directed to the President:

NOW, THEREFORE, on behalf of the President of the United States, I, Hugh S. Johnson, Administrator for Industrial Recovery, pursuant to authority vested in me by Executive Orders of the President, including Executive Order No. 6543-A, dated December 30, 1933, and otherwise; do hereby incorporate, by reference, said annexed report and do find that said amendment and the Code as constituted after being amended comply in all respects with the pertinent provisions and will promote the policy and purposes of said Title of said Act, and do hereby order that said amendment be and it is hereby approved, and that the previous approval of said Code is hereby modified to include an approval of said Code in its entirety as amended.

Hugh S. Johnson, Administrator for Industrial Recovery.

Approval recommended:

C. E. Adams, Division Administrator.

Washington, D.C., September 14, 1934.

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REPORT TO THE PRESIDENT

The President.

The White House.

Sir: On August 19, 1933, you approved a Code of Fair Competition for the Lumber and Timber Products Industries.

This is a report on a Public Hearing on Amendment No. 31 to that Code conducted in Washington, D. C. beginning on January 22, 1934, in accordance with the National Industrial Recovery Act.

The Amendment contemplates a reduction in the minimum wage rate in the Wooden Package Division in the state of Colorado north

of 38° north latitude to thirty cents per hour.

It is believed that such a reduction will more equitably effectuate the purposes and policies of the Act and the National Recovery Administration by equalizing the wage burden and thereby bring about "fair competition".

The Deputy Administrator in his final report to me on said Amendment to said Code having found as herein set forth and on

the basis of all the proceedings in this matter;

(a) The Amendment to said Code and the Code as amended are well designed to promote the policies and purposes of Title I of the National Industrial Recovery Act including the removal of obstructions to the free flow of interstate and foreign commerce which tend to diminish the amount thereof, and will provide for the general welfare by promoting the organization of industry for the purpose of cooperative action among trade groups, by inducing and maintaining united action of labor and management under adequate governmental sanction and supervision, by eliminating unfair competitive practices, by promoting the fullest possible utilization of the present productive capacity of industries, by avoiding undue restrictions of production (except as may be temporarily required), by increasing the consumption of industrial and agricultural products through increasing purchasing power, by reducing and relieving unemployment, by improving standards of labor, and by otherwise rehabilitating industry.

(b) The Code as amended complies in all respects with the pertinent provisions of said Title of said Act, including without limitation Subsection (a) of Section 3, Subsection (a) of Section 7 and

Subsection (b) of Section 10 thereof.

(c) The Code empowers the Code Authority to present the aforesaid Amendment on behalf of the industry as a whole.

(d) The Amendment and the Code as amended are not designed

to and will not permit monopolies or monopolistic practices.

(e) The Amendment and the Code as amended are not designed to and will not eliminate or oppress small enterprises and will not operate to discriminate against them.

(f) Those engaged in other steps of the economic process have not been deprived of the right to be heard prior to approval of said Amendment.

For these reasons, therefore, I have approved this Amendment to the Code.

Respectfully,

Hugh S. Johnson,
Administrator.

SEPTEMBER 14, 1934.

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AMENDMENT No. 31

In Article VII (d) in the paragraph headed "Wooden Package".
In Article VII (d) in the paragraph headed "Wooden Package". Division "A" strike out Subsection "g" and insert in lieu thereof
the following:
g. Pacific Wooden Box group (California, Oregon, Utah,
Nevada, New Mexico, Arizona, and Colorado):
California, Oregon, Utah, Nevada 40¢
Colorado (North of 38° North Latitude) 30¢
New Mexico, Arizona, and Colorado (Provisional) (South of 38°
North Latitude) 23¢

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